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Palestinian Broadcasts

The PLO radio, Voice of Palestine, went off the air with the withdrawal of the Palestinian fighters from Beirut. Subsequent to this Baghdad, Damascus, Aden, and Sana, in addition to Algiers and Cairo, have been carrying programs on their radios concerning Palestinian affairs. FBIS is studying program characteristics, behavior, and changes in format and content to determine what Palestinian factions, if any, are responsible for the new programming. ☐

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Support to Congress

It has been FBIS policy for many years to provide members of Congress with translations of foreign press articles that significantly mention them. This week, for example, we sent to Rep. Paul N. McCloskey's office a translation of his "exclusive interview" with a reporter from the Arabic-language Paris weekly, AL-WATAN AL-'ARABI. The interview dealt with talks held by the Congressional delegation with senior Jordanian officials, Congressman McCloskey's dialogue with Yasir 'Arafat, and his views on the success of the Congressional mission. ☐

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Support for FBI

At the request of the CI Staff, FBIS will provide support for several months to the FBI for a "defensive CI operation." The support will involve usage of a Staff Arabic language officer. ☐

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Hostile Propaganda

The U.S. Southern Command in Panama is issuing a periodic report on "examples of disinformation and propaganda directed against the U.S. Government by the Soviet/Cuban/Micaraguan/insurgent propaganda campaign in Latin America." The report, being prepared biweekly, is based largely on items collected from Latin American broadcasts by FBIS. ☐

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